

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY AVERAGE WHOLESAL PRICE LITIGATION)	MDL NO. 1456 Civil Action No. 01-12257-PBS Subcategory No.: 07-12141-PBS Judge Patti B. Saris
THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: <i>State of Iowa v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al.</i>)	
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**NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL OF PLAINTIFF'S CLAIMS AGAINST
DEFENDANTS THE JOHNSON & JOHNSON COMPANIES**

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and between plaintiff, the State of Iowa and defendants Johnson & Johnson, Janssen Pharmaceutica Products, L.P., Ortho-McNeil Pharmaceutical, Inc., Othro-Biotech Products, L.P., McNeil-PPC, Inc., ALZA Corporation, Centocor, Inc., and Ethicon, Inc., and said defendants' successor or affiliated companies, including Janssen, L.P., Janssen, Inc., Johnson & Johnson Healthcare Systems, Inc., Centocor-Ortho-Biotech, Inc., Ortho-Biotech, Inc., and Ortho-McNeil-Janssen Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (collectively, the "Johnson & Johnson Companies"), by and through their respective attorneys, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41 and the terms of the Settlement Agreement between the State of Iowa and the Johnson & Johnson Companies, that all claims in this action against the Johnson & Johnson Companies are dismissed with prejudice and without costs to any party.

Dated: December 15, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 15, 2010, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing, Notice of Voluntary Dismissal of Plaintiff's Claims Against Defendants the Johnson & Johnson Companies, to be served on counsel of record for each party through the Court's Electronic Case Filing System and via LexisNexis File & Serve.

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